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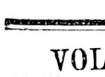

NEITHER THE CAPTAIN NOR the undersigned agents of the Norwegian ship "Gungner" will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the said vessel.

JANION, RHODES & CO.
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CONSIGNEE NOTICE.

THE SHIP GUNGNER, CAPTAIN Iverson, from Liverpool, will commence discharging this morning at Messrs Janion Rhodes & Co's wharf.

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All goods left on the wharf after 5 P M will be stored at the risk and expense of the owners.

JANION, RHODES & Co,
Victoria, V I, Jan. 22nd, 1872. j23

Notice to Mariners.

THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR, ON behalf of the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, directs the following notice to be published for general information:

NOTICE TO MARINERS—The iron buoys marking the Channel on the Sand Heads of the Fraser River have been placed in position. The only direction necessary for vessels of light draft entering Fraser River is to pass all can-buoys on the port hand; while nunn-buoys which are painted red, must be passed on the starboard hand. For vessels of greater draft a Pilot would be necessary.

JAMES COOPER.
no29 1m

Notice to Mariners.

IT IS HEREBY PUBLICLY NOTIFIED that the Lightship at the Mouth of Fraser River, having been seriously injured by the late gales, has been removed for repairs and will not be in position again for some time.

Due notice will be given of the date on which the Light will be re-lit.

J. W. TRUTCH,
For the Minister of Marine & Fisheries.
Victoria, 16th November, 1871 de17

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Finest Family Groceries,

—COMPRISING—

Choicest Malaga Raisins,

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SULTANA RAISINS, ZANTE CURRANTS
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Samples may be seen at our Store, Wharf street, and orders will be taken for the same

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NEW FURS,

beg to inform the public that in order to accommodate persons wishing to purchase small quantities, which they have been unable to do hitherto, owing to the furs being all in first hands, they have appointed Mr W B Wilson of Wharf street, their Agent. Orders from persons wishing

Sets of Martin, Mink, Fisher, Lynx Wolverine, Beaver, Silver Grey and Red Fox, or Land and Sea Otter Furs, Bear Skins, etc.,

Will be promptly filled. This is an opportunity seldom to be met with, as the furs of this winter's hunt are now all on hand.

CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN,
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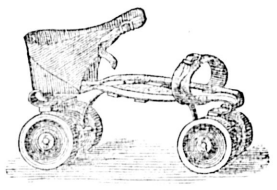

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Notices.

A. CARD.

HAZELTON, B C, Sept 14th, 1871

WE THE UNDERSIGNED CERTIFY that Messrs Cunningham & Hankin contracted with us to deliver in all Fifty Thousand (50,000) pounds of Freight at Hazelton, Forks of Skeena, within twenty days from the date of the arrival of the steamer Otter at Port Essington, Skeenamouth, and that they have fulfilled their agreement by delivering our freight here in good order, twelve days from the date of departure from Port Essington, to our perfect satisfaction

J O FLOYD,
THOS CHARLES (HBCo
WM READ,
JAS. KEATING:

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COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
2nd December, 1871.

WHEREAS BY SECTION 21 OF "THE Corrupt Practices Prevention Act, 1871," it is provided that—

"21. A detailed statement of all Election expenses incurred by or on behalf of any candidate including such expected payments as aforesaid, shall, within two months after the election (or in cases where by reason of the death of the creditor no bill has been sent in within such period of two months, then within one month after such bill has been sent in) be made out and signed by the agent, or if there be more than one, by every agent who has paid the same (including the Candidate, in case of payment made by him), and delivered with the bills and vouchers relative thereto, to the Returning Officer, and the Returning Officer for the time being shall, at the expense of the candidate, within fourteen days, publish, or cause to be published, in the manner to be from time to time provided by the Governor in Council, an abstract of such statement, with the signature of the agent thereto, and any agent or candidate who makes default in delivering to the Returning Officer the statement required by this section, shall incur a penalty not exceeding twenty-five dollars for every day during which he so makes default; and any agent or candidate who wilfully furnishes to the said Returning Officer an untrue statement shall be guilty of a misdemeanor; and the said Returning Officer shall preserve all such bills and vouchers, and during six months, after they have been delivered to him, permit any voter to inspect the same, on payment of a fee of one dollar."

Notice is hereby given, for the information of Candidates or Agents of Candidates, that the Governor in Council has, in pursuance of the said Act, provided that the abstract of expenses, as aforesaid, shall be published in the Gazette.

By Command,
A. ROCKE ROBERTSON,
Colonial Secretary.
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"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance 1870," and at the expiration of Three Months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM PARSONS SATWARD of Part ½ of Sections 1 and 2, and West ½ of Sections 3 and 4, Range VI, Chemainus District

To JAMES DOUGLAS WARREN, of Section 7, Range VII, Chemainus District

And to EDWARD DAVIS HEATLEY and GEORGE CAMPBELL of Lot 264, Group 1 (one) in the District of New Westminster.

Unless objection be made to me in writing in the meantime against the issue thereof respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN, Registrar General.
Land Registry Office, Dec 23, 1871. de27

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1871."

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I shall, in accordance with the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three months from the date hereof, recommend issue of Crown Grants

To WILLIAM CURTIS WARD, of Sections 49, 50, 63 and 64 Lake District.

To HENRY ALEXANDER, of Section 1 East, 14 South, District of South Saanich.

To WILLIAM HERBERT EVANS, of Sections 24 and 25 Lake District.

To JOHN PIERCE, of Sections V North, Range 11 East, and V North, Range III East, District of North Saanich.

To HAMILTON ANSTRUTHER, of Sections XXXII, XXXIV, and CI, of Esquimalt District.

To WILLIAM FEAT and CHARLES HENRY FEAT, of Sections VII and VIII North, Range East District of North Saanich

To ROBERT WEIR, Section XXXI Metchosin District, and Section XIII Sooke District

To JOSEPH WESTROP CAREY, Section XII, Lake District.

And to JOHN ASH, of Section X VI and XIII, Comox District, excepting out of the last mentioned Section, a piece of land at the South-western end thereof (adjoining the land of Charles Greene), measuring 5 chains north by 25 chains east.

Unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime against the issue thereof, respectively.

H. B. W. AIKMAN,
Land Registry Office, Registrar General
16th December, 1871. d 17

NOTICE.

IT HAVING BEEN STATED THAT debts have been contracted by Sun Shu Lee in my name, I hereby expressly declare that I am in no way connected with Sun Shu Lee, and that I am not and will not be responsible for any of his debts or engagements.

DR. CHONG.

WITNESS—Robt Bishop
Dated this 11th day of January, 1872. ja12 1m

(L.S.) JOSEPH W. TRUTCH.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c, &c, &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, on the twenty-fifth day of the month of January, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, to have been commenced and held, and to every of you:—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J. F. McCREIGHT, Attorney-General } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature of the Province of British Columbia stands prorogued to the 25th day of January instant nevertheless, for certain causes and considerations, We have though fit further to prorogue the same to THURSDAY, the FIFTEENTH day of the month of FEBRUARY next, so that neither of you, nor any of you, on the said twenty-fifth day of January next, at Our City of Victoria, are to be held and constrained to appear, for We do will that you, and each of you, and all others in this behalf interested, on THURSDAY the FIFTEENTH day of FEBRUARY next, at Our City of Victoria aforesaid, personally be and appear FOR THE DISPATCH OF BUSINESS, to treat, do, act and conclude upon those things which in Our Legislature of the Province of British Columbia by the Common Council of Our said Province may by the favor of God be Ordained.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent and the Great Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia to be hereunto annexed: WITNESS the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant-Governor of Our Province of British Columbia, at Our Government House, in Our City of VICTORIA, in Our said Province, this TENTH day of JANUARY, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, and in the thirty fifth year of Our Reign.

By Command.
RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar S. C ja11

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, Victoria between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning at his residence, James Bay, in the evening.

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NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR any debts contracted on my account without my written order.

HUGH McKAY

DR CHONG,

JUST ARRIVED FROM CHINA, PHYsician, Surgeon and Accoucher, ormorant street, three doors below Kwong Lee's At Sun Shu Lee's house.

Every description of Chinese Medicines for sale. Fresh Medicines just received from China. au2

Dentistry.

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SURGEON DENTIST.

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We cheerfully add Dr. B's Card to our columns, convinced that his good taste and judgment, united to natural skill and ingenuity, aided by an extensive practice of upwards of thirty years, render his services more valuable and reliable than those of any other Dentist on the Sound, Coast or Island.

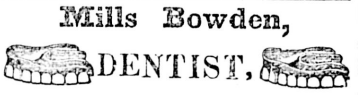
Dr. B's large experience may be readily seen in the happy and natural expression given his patrons by his life-like insertion of artificial Teeth.

The public may rest assured of patience, gentleness and undivided attention while under the Dr's hands, and that he will ever strive to be foremost in accepting helps and hints touching his own interest and that of his patrons.

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE—Douglas Street, between Dr Powell's premises and Wilson's Tea Store. Business hours from 8 a m till 5 p m.

Victoria, Nov 4, 1871. de5 d&w is

Mills Bowden,



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Forward Freight and Passengers

And offer every facility to the travelling public.

A Large number of Canoes on hand for Sale or Hire.

A Large supply of Miners' PROVISIONS here and at the Forks. Apply to us and

SAVE TIME, TROUBLE & EXPENSE

CUNNINGHAM & HANKIN.
Port Essington, Dec 23d, 1872. ja7 2md&w

PLUMMER & PAGDEN

Auctioneers and Accountants,

BEG TO REQUEST THAT ALL ACcounts due by them be presented for payment, and that all accounts due to them at this date be paid forthwith.

Wharf street, Victoria, Dec 31, 1871. de31

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CONDUCTED BY THE REV. J. REYNARD, RECTOR OF NANAIMO.

A FEW BOARDERS CAN BE RECEIVED. Terms, according to age, $20 and $25 per month.

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FOR SALE IN BOND OR DUTY PAID by

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A Large Stock of General Goods and Miners' Outfits

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FURS, HIDES,

WOOL, SHEEPSKINS,

AND CALFSKINS.

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FROM HONOLULU

100 kegs Pioneer Mills No 1 Sugar,
67 " Wailuku, Nos 1 & 2 do,
22 bags No 1 Rice,

Received and for sale by

A. BECHMAN,
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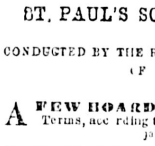

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ITS EFFECT IS

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IT IS A PERFECT AND WONDERFUL article. Cures baldness. Makes hair grow. A better dressing than any 'oil or pomatum.' So tens brash, dry and wiry hair into Beautiful Silken Tresses. But, above all, the great wonder is the rapidity with which it restores GRAY HAIR TO ITS ORIGINAL COLOR

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The first application will do good; you will see the NATURAL COLOR returning every day, and

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R. P. HALL & Co., Nashua, N. H., Proprietors. For sale by all Druggists. my26 altw W StawD

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Boots & Shoes!

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Selected from the best that the San Francisco market affords, which he offers at the very

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ALSO—A VARIETY OF HOMEMADE BOOTS ON HAND.

BOOTS made to order in the most approved style from the Best Material.

☞ OBSERVE—GOVERNMENT ST., VICTORIA two doors from the Colonial.

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JESSE COWPER

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ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

BOOTS & SHOES,

Which he is continually replenishing

He Received by the LAST STEAMER from LONDON a Choice Assortment of

GENTS' BALMORAL AND ELASTIC-SIDE BOOTS,

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BOOTS & SHOES

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And will furnish customers with the best description of custom made or foreign goods of the most fashionable shape.

no15 3m

Card of Thanks to Dr Chong.

AFTER BEING TREATED FIVE MONTHS by a white doctor, and spending nearly $300, I was worse than when I first went to him. I had quite despaired of being relieved when I read Dr Chong's Card in THE COLONIST. I placed myself under his care and in NINE DAYS I was a well man. I write this card to discharge a debt of gratitude I owe to Dr Chong, which duty, I may also say, was reason for. My complaint was neuralgia. WILLIAM McCORMICK.

Victoria, Aug 28th, 1871. ja17

W. C. S. SEELEY.

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Charges Very Reasonable.

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Dealer in Venison and all kinds of Game

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Fashionable Dressmaker

(LATE OF SAN FRANCISCO)

GORDON STREET, VICTORIA,
opp St Andrew's (Presbyterian) Church,
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THE BRITISH COLONIST.

Friday Morning, Feb 2, 1872.

Vancouver and Mainland have another Talk.

MAINLAND.—Well, Vancouver; I'm glad to meet you again. I would be pleased to learn that you have well considered what I said to you at our last interview, and that you have made up your mind to join me in abolishing the Road Tolls.

VANCOUVER.—The very cogent arguments you urged have occupied my most serious attention. I felt that you had rather the best of it; but as yet I am unable to see my way quite clear to join in promoting the immediate and total abolition of these tolls.

MAINLAND.—I am sorry to hear the latter part of your remarks. Pray, what hinders such a conclusion?

VANCOUVER.—Well, to tell the truth, I would experience some difficulty in answering your question; but there is a sort of lingering, undefined impression in my mind that, considering all the circumstances of the case, it is not quite fair to ask me to make common cause with you in bearing the financial consequences of the construction and maintenance of that road. You will remember that the road was made on your sole responsibility, before we entered into partnership; and I naturally assumed the continuance of these tolls. When Canada took up the debt it relieved you in so far as the principal is concerned, and I am not unwilling to share with you the loss of income consequent upon that act,—amounting as I pointed out at our last interview, to fifty thousand dollars a year. But still it appears to me that it would not be altogether unfair that sufficient tolls to meet the expense of keeping the road in a state of repair should continue to be collected.

MAINLAND.—You have reminded me of the history of the road, and hinted that total abolition would be scarcely in harmony with the spirit and basis of our partnership. Such a reference on your part is indiscreet. You at least should have been anxious to 'let bygones be bygones,' leaving our history before union a sealed book. I will not imitate your bad taste, and remind you of the deplorable condition of *your* balance-sheet at that period,—how, if you had little debt you had less assets. If I brought into the union a debt, I also brought ample assets; and if I brought a road debt, I also brought a road; and as I said on a former occasion, what would you have been to-day without that road? It appears to me that the less you say about our relative standing at the time of entering into a union you so importunately urged upon me the better for your own cause. It will be better for you, probably for both of us, to leave the past altogether out of sight in dealing with this question and start on a clean sheet under Confederation, with the road in existence, as a Provincial highway necessary alike to the whole and beneficial alike to all. To do this will be to simplify the question and avoid the stirring up of disagreeable memories from which neither of us, and you least of all, have anything to gain.

VANCOUVER—Well, probably you are right; and this leaves us to consider the justice of making the road free and making the burden of its maintenance (some thirty thousand dollars a year) a charge upon the general revenue — that is to say, make me, who *never use* the road, pay the same towards its maintenance as you, who *use it continually*.

MAINLAND.—There you are again, back into your narrow clam-shell. Carrying out the idea of partnership, the interests of both must be identical in so far as the promotion of the development and solid prosperity of either is concerned. In view of our relative geographical positions, this is true in a more important sense of you than it is of me. Lying back of you, as I do, you could not fail to profit largely by my development and prosperity. In truth, that appears to be almost your sole reliance. In our former conversation I pointed out how these tolls tended to stunt industry and paralyze development in the great country back of the Cascades, consequently reflexly injuring your commerce. I would now add to what I said on this head, at our former meeting, that these tolls have also a most important bearing upon the Omineca trade. Two cents a pound, or, as I pointed out the other day, *four* cents, a pound to the consumer, in the shape of a differential tax on our road, as in favor of the Skeena route, would go very far towards driving the Omineca trade into the latter channel.

VANCOUVER.—That may be so; but you appear to overlook the fact that the trade would be none the less in my hands for that.

MAINLAND.—Ah! Indeed. Well, I have heard that you entertained some such selfish and short-sighted view in regard to the question of routes to Omineca; but I was anxious to believe you incapable of it. Admitting, for the sake of argument, that you would hold the Omineca trade none the less securely if it flowed through the Northern channel, does it not occur to you that your position is unfair to me as your partner? If that trade flowed through the great artery of the Province it would equally and permanently benefit us both. On the other hand, if it finds its way in through the side door at the extreme north, it benefits me less without benefitting you more. The spirit is not that of an honest and fair partnership. But I utterly deny that the Omineca trade would either be as firmly in your grasp or as profitable to you if finding its way in by a side door, as if flowing through the natural artery of the country, spreading its fertilizing influences throughout the whole. In the latter case the trade would be a domestic one. In the former, foreigners would divide it with you, and Omineca would, to a very great extent, consume foreign, instead of domestic, productions. We have a common interest in encouraging the flow of the Omineca trade through the arterial channel, and there road tolls materially stand in the way of that interest; and this consideration constitutes an additional reason for their abolition.

VANCOUVER.—Admitting the force of your argument, how can the Province spare the fifty thousand dollars or so of revenue that would be lost by the abolition of these tolls? That would make a big hole in the Provincial Treasury.

MAINLAND.—The revenue could not be lost. The *two* cents would remain in the pockets of Commerce, imparting to it health and vigor, enabling it to pay its way. The *four* cents would remain with the consumer, enabling him to become a larger consumer and, more important still, a very much larger producer. As for the other point, if the standard of revenue *must* be maintained, it would be infinitely more to our advantage to borrow money at five per cent. than for the Government to grasp every cent of our pocket money, when it is worth eighteen per cent to us. Regarding ourselves as partners with one common interest, and looking at the road as a Provincial highway, it becomes just as legitimate a charge upon the public treasury as any other Provincial work or service; and if it should appear to be essential that the standard of revenue shall be maintained, what more proper object for a loan could present itself?

VANCOUVER.—I confess that I am unable successfully to controvert your position; but the light in which you have presented the subject is in many respects so new to me that I desire further time for reflection.

MAINLAND.—It is my wish that whatever conclusion you reach may be the result of mature and candid reflection; but you will permit me to remark that, as it appears to me, the great difficulty consists in your having become accustomed to think of yourself and me as separated individuals, having distinct and even divergent and antagonistic interests. We must learn to merge our individuality and think of our interests as one and indivisible,—so much so that one cannot suffer injury without the other suffering with it, and that one cannot be benefitted without the other sharing in that benefit. Depend upon it, my dear Vancouver, this is the true spirit in which to approach legislation and conduct the administration of public affairs; and until that spirit permeates both governing and governed, it would be idle to expect either harmony or satisfactory prosperity.

VANCOUVER.—I feel the force and justice of what you say, and shall endeavor to adapt myself to that way of looking at the matter.

MAINLAND.—I am glad to hear you speak in this way, and leave you to reflection, feeling confident of the result. But, remember, your mind must be made up by the 15th.

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No further intimation will be given to those liable to pay Licenses under the above act,

By Order, H E GOOD,

fe1 Clerk to Stipendiary Magistrate

Public Notice to Mariners

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the Fraser River Lightship will be moored in her position at the South Sandhead, Fraser River, on the 11th day of March next, and will show a fixed White Light as usual.

For the Minister of Marine and Fisheries,

B. W. PEARSE,

fe1 Surveyor General.

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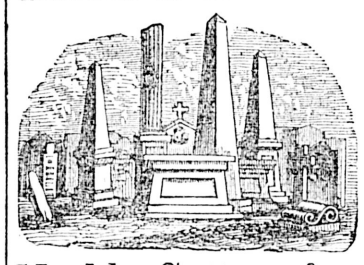

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CANADA PACIFIC RAILWAY.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT an application will be made to the Parliament of Canada at its next session, for an Act to Incorporate the Canada Pacific Railway Company, for the purpose of constructing and working a railway from Lake Nipissing, or some other point in the Province of Ontario, connecting with the railway system of Canada, to Fort Garry or Winnipeg in the Province of Manitoba, thence westerly through such pass of the Rocky Mountains in Canadian territory as may be found practicable to Bute Inlet or some other point on the seaboard of the Pacific Ocean, in the Province of British Columbia, (with power to extend to Victoria, or some other point on Vancouver Island, if found advisable); together with branch lines from near Winnipeg river to the Lake of the Woods, and from Fort Garry or Winnipeg aforesaid to Pembina, or such other point or place on the boundary of the Province of Manitoba as may connect with the railway system of the United States.

ALFRED WADDINGTON.

Ottawa, Dec 2, 1871. de2 1d&w

Notice is Hereby Given

THAT AN APPLICATION WILL BE made at the next session of the Legislative Assembly of the Province of British Columbia for an Act to Incorporate "The Western Pacific Railway Company," for the purpose of constructing and working a Railway commencing at a point at or near Victoria, British Columbia, thence to some point on the Eastern Coast of Vancouver Island, and from thence, by bridge or steam communication, to some point or points on the Western Coast of the Mainland of British Columbia between the 49th and 54th parallels of north latitude, thence through the Mainland of British Columbia to some practicable pass in the Rocky Mountains to the North West Territories, and to some point in the said North West Territories, where a junction will be effected with a line of railway starting from the Railway System in the North Eastern part of Ontario and running towards the Rocky Mountains, with power to make such deviations and branch lines to connect with the Seaboard of Vancouver Island or elsewhere as may be advisable; and for the purposes aforesaid to establish, equip and maintain such Ferries and Steam Vessels as may be necessary.

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Victoria, BC, Jan 24th, 1872. ja27

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Schedule B.

GENERAL ABSTRACT Shewing the average amount of the Liabilities and Assets within the Province of British Columbia, of the Bank of British North America, taken from the usual Weekly Statements during the Quarter ending 30th December, 187

LIABILITIES.	AM'T.	TOTALS.
Notes in circulation, not bearing interest	$124,066 00	
Notes in circulation, bearing interest		
Bills in circulation, not bearing interest		
Bills in circulation, bearing interest		
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	31,417 66	
Deposits, not bearing interest....$244,885 70		
Deposits, bearing interest	209,966 00	454,851 70
Total amount of liabilities		$610,335 36

ASSETS	AM'T.	TOTALS.
Legal Tender Coin, in Gold and Silver		$135,958 79
Gold and Silver, in Bullion		34,083 14
Landed and other Property		27,000 00
Notes and Bills of other Banks		
Balances due from other Banks and Branches		306,091 80
Amount of all Debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange, and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills and Balances due from other Banks and Branches		$145,123 35
Total amount of assets		$648,260 08

Amount of the Capital Stock paid up at the close of the quarter ending 30th of Dec'r, 1871 ..... $5,000,000 00

Rate of the last Dividend declared to the Shareholders, ... 8 ₱ ct ₱ an.

Amount of the last Dividend declared $225,000 00

Amount of the Reserved Profits at the time of declaring such dividend 763,415 00

Signed J. GOODFELLOW, p. Manager.

ROBERT BURRELL, p. Accountant.

Victoria, B. C., 30th Dec., 1871.

I, John Goodfellow, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing abstract is a true and faithful account of the average amount of Assets and Liabilities within this Province of the above Bank during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the Weekly Statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of the "Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) JOHN GOODFELLOW, p. Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, this 24th day of Jan., 1872.

ja25 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

GENERAL ABSTRACT

Showing the average amount of LIABILITIES and ASSETS of the Bank of British Columbia, within the Province of British Columbia and its dependencies, taken from the several Weekly Statements for the Quarter ending 31st December, 1871.

LIABILITIES.		
Notes in Circulation	$180,189	
Balances due to other Banks and Branches	8,684 08	
Deposits not bearing Interest	$307,486 45	
Deposits bearing Interest	82,994 65	390,478 10
Total amount of Liabilities		$579,351 18

ASSETS	
Legal Tender Coin in Gold and Silver	$142,163 06
Gold and Silver Bullion	63 200 92
Landed and other Property	45 540 26
Balances due from other Banks and Branches	129,574 21
All debts due to the Bank, including Notes, Bills of Exchange and all Stock and Funded Debts of every description, excepting Notes, Bills, and Balances due from other Banks and Branches	337,494 93
Total amount of Assets	$717,964 28

Amount of Capital Stock paid up at the close of the Quarter ending 31st Dec'r, 1871 ..... $1,490,000

Rate of last Dividend declared to the Shareholders ..... 5 ₱ cent ₱ annum

Amount of last Dividend declared ..... $ 37,250 00

Amount of reserved profit at time of declaring such dividend ..... $ 19,770 00

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager,

CHAS. S. JONES, Accountant.

VICTORIA, B. C., 30th Dec'r., 1871.

I, William Curtis Ward, do hereby declare that to the best of my knowledge and belief the foregoing Statement is a true and faithful account of the average amount of the Assets and Liabilities within this Province, of the Bank, during the period specified, and that the same was made up from the weekly statements thereof, kept in pursuance of the provisions of "The Banking Act, 1864."

(Signed) WM. C. WARD, Manager.

Declared before me at Victoria, B. C., this 4th day of Jan'y, 1872.

ja5 (Signed) A. F. PEMBERTON, S. M.

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Cariboo and Way Places	Saturday	Friday
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POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 30th August, 1871. se1 1y

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Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend

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Feb 1—Stmr North Pacific, Starr, Port Townsend

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The Ogden Point Case.

In the Supreme Court of British Columbia, in Chancery: Between Her Majesty's Attorney General, plaintiff and James Trimble, defendant.

The information made on behalf of Her Majesty, is in substance as follows:

The land in question, claimed to be pre-empted by the defendant, was granted to the Hudson Bay Co., on the 13th day of January, 1849. In 1858, maps were prepared by the Land Office, in which section XVIII is marked as a town site. In 1862, the Victoria Corporation Act was passed and a portion of section XVIII was included within the Coporation limits of the city. In 1849 there was an agreement between the Hudson Bay Co. and the Imperial Government, that for the sum of £57,500 the Hudson Bay Co. would cede back to Her Majesty the whole of Vancouver Island, excepting certain lands sold and which are now occupied by the Hudson Bay Co., including in the ceded part the land now in dispute. That in April, 1867, the agreement to cede the Island to Her Majesty was finally carried out, when the property in dispute became the property of the Crown. In the month of April, 1863, the defendant claims to have entered into possession of the land under the pre-emption Act of the Local Legislature, the property at that time belonging to the Hudson Bay Co., and becoming the property of the Crown four years after. And providing that the land had been the property of the Crown, the defendant has not complied with the conditions of the pre-emption Act of the Local Legislature under which he applied.

And finally, that the title to these pieces of land described and known as subdivisions 18, 19 21, 22, 27, 28, 29, 31 and 33, of section XVIII, Victoria District, may be declared to be vested in Her Most Gracious Majesty.

That the defendant, James Trimble, his agents, servants and workmen, may be forever restrained by the injunctions of this Honorable Court from entering on or occupying, dealing with or in any manner interfering with the said lands or any of them. That such further, and other relief may be given to the premises as the nature of the case may require.

Mr Pearse, testified as to section XVIII being included in a town site as laid down in a map in the Land Office in 1858. He also testified that the defendant did not produce any map or sketch of the section of land for which he applied.

The case was conducted on the part of the Crown by the Hon A R Robertson, instructed by Mr Drake, and on the part of the Defendant by the Hon Att'y-General, instructed by Mr Johnson.

The defense will be continued tomorrow, when the substance of the reply to the 'Information' will be given with the continuation and result of the trial.

THE Buffalo *Courier* makes a comparison between the cost of the British Army and Navy and that of the United States which is not favorable to the supposition of superior economy on the part of the latter country. 'Our army,' says the *Courier*, 'cost last year $35,780,000; on the same scale of expenditure the British army, which is fourteen times and a half as large, would have cost $161,000,000, its actual cost being about $65,000,000. The United States navy cost for the same year $19,430,000. On the same scale of expenditure the British navy, which is six times as large, would have cost $116,586,000, its actual cost being about $40,000,000.

THE SHIP LOOKOUT.—The English divers returned yesterday from Port Townsend with the diving apparatus loaned by Capt. Cator for the examination of the ship Lookout, which vessel lately struck on Race rock. The divers found the forefoot and seven feet of the keel gone and the ship making water. They stopped the leak and the Lookout will continue the voyage to San Francisco, where she will be docked. Had we a dry-dock at Esquimalt the repairs would have been done there.

ON the morning after Fisk was shot and before his death occurred, the New York *Times* said: "Whether James Fisk, jr., lives or dies, there is no reason for disguising how unlovely his career has been. As a fellow man lying in agony and under fear of death we may give him such sympathy as our human instincts prompt. As one of the greatest foes of the highest interests of his country and his generation, his memory cannot but be execrated to the end of time.

THE Northern Pacific Railroad Company has just closed a contract with the locomotive establishment of Baird & Co, of Philadelphia, for fifty first class engines for that road. The Philadelphia *Post* congratulates its readers on the fact that in addition to these and some forty other engines, the Northern Pacific Railroad Company have already purchased railroad material in Philadelphia to the amount of $5,000,000.

THE GLOBE HOTEL.—This handsome hotel was opened last evening. The Victoria Brass Band was in attendance and filled the place with melody. The accomodations at the Globe are excellent and as M and Mme Pelletier have had long experience in the hotel business, they will make guests comfortable.

THE Otter will sail in about three weeks' time for Skeena.

LICENSING COURT.—His Worship the Mayor and Judge Pemberton sat yesterday. Judge Pemberton stated that he should not interfere in the matter of the application of Marsh & Beale, and His Worship granted a licence to them, remarking that he did so on account of their good character for many years prior to the late Police cases. Another application was postponed.

PACIFIC INS. CO.—The total loss of the Pacific Insurance Company by the Chicago fire, when finally adjusted, amounted to $1,433,000. Of this amount $1,433,000 has been bought in at 50 cents on the dollar, leaving the remainder outstanding; after the settlement of which at the same rate there will remain a deficiency of $100,000, to be made up by stockholders in addition to the loss of their original investment.

A HEAVY WINDFALL.—By a private letter, received in Olympia a day or two ago, the Pacific Tribune learns that Capt Roeder, of Bellingham Bay, has fallen heir to a handsome fortune in the East by the death of a near relative. The legal executor of the estate has notified the Captain of his good luck, and the latter will proceed at once to take possession.

"AT HIS POST!"—The COLONIST in a leader under the caption of "At His Post," is after Representative DeCosmos because he is not at Ottawa or on his way there. The COLONIST calls him "the great ME of British Columbia Politics." If *that* dont start the "Senior Representative of Victoria" off for the Dominion capital at once, nothing will.—Daily Courier, Olympia.

A JEALOUS FREAK.—Near Gosport, Indiana, a handsome young wife, who was married only five weeks, blew her brains out with a revolver because her husband went to a spelling school. She was afraid he would there flirt with some of his old schcolmates and sweethearts, and the thought drove her to the commission of the rash act.

ONE of the Victoria papers says that British Columbia wants a "modified tariff" of duties on imports to protect her own industry. But a cotemporary points out the fact that there can be no special tariff rates for British Columbia; because, since Confederation was effected no Province can be permitted to go into tariff making on its own account.—Portland Oregonian.

THE LAND EXCITEMENT at Olympia appears to have died away. The Railway Company have been presented with 4000 acres of land situated in and around Olympia, in return for which they engage to build a depot within one mile and a half of the centre of the town.

"FEBRUARY".—A Waltz, by F. S. Bushell, Esq, a gem—wild and weird as a midwinter's storm, has been sent us. This music is growing in popular favor. What a pity there are no type in the colony on which to print Mr Bushell's compositions.

PROLIFIC PEOPLE.—A traveler rode twenty-one miles through Minnesota, stopping at ten houses by the way, at which ten proud mothers exhibited ten lovely pairs of twins. The *Pacific Tribune* adds, "That is the kind of people we need in this Territory.

ELOPEMENT.—The wife of a farmer in Lake District is reported to have eloped from her husband, taking her wardrobe and jewellery. The pair were married about one year ago under happy and promising auspices.

THE steamer North Pacific arrived from Ports on Puget Sound yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock, bringing a few passengers and a light freight. We are indebted to Messrs Crosby and Lowe and Purser Clancy for late papers.

A VAGABOND CHINEE.—Ah Ho, a worthless fellow—too lazy to work, and being without sufficient ingenuity to steal—was before the Police Court yesterday on a charge of being a rogue and a vagabond. He was remanded for one day.

DRUNK.—Joe and Sam, two Bella Bella Indians, for being drunk and disorderly, were yesterday each fined five shillings each or in default of payment to suffer 6 months imprisonment.

THE iron landed from the Gungner is as free from rust as the day on which it left the foundry, retaining its 'bloom' at if just from the furnance.

THE Portland Oregonian of late date says: 'The Victoria Standard has been purchased by a company who will convert it into an evening paper.

FOR THE CHILBLAINS.—Beef gall and whisky (mixed and applied outwardly, not taken inwardly) will cure the most severe attack of chilblains.

IN TOWN.—U S Collector Drew, Mr Gillon, Postmaster of Seattle, W T; Rev. R Thompson, of Olympia, and Capt T Stratton of the Railway, are in town.

THE PRINCE ALFRED.—A Sound paper has it that the Prince Alfred sailed for Victoria on Sunday. Impossible; she sailed yesterday.

FROM NANAIMO.—The steamer Isabel arrived at 1 o'clock this morning from Nanaimo, bringing a cargo of coal for the North Pacific steamer.

THE LINCOLN coaled yesterday at Broderick's and will sail this morning for Cape Flattery.

MOUNT HOOD, in Oregon, is reported eruptive.

THE steamer Oriflamme recently made the run from Astoria to San Francisco in two days.

THERE is every indication that wheat and flour will be very low this year.

THE Enterprise, with Barnard's Cariboo Express, will return to-day.

THERE will be another raffle at Sax's Saloon on Saturday evening.

No Canadian mail arrived yesterday.

SELLING OFF.—See Crossen's selling off advertisement. Goods are sold there far below cost. *

By Electric Telegraph

SPECIAL TO THE DAILY BRITISH COLONIST.

LAST NIGHT'S DISPATCHES.

Mexico

MATAMORAS, Jan 31—General Quererada Ranked Cartina yesterday and now holds the position this side of Durango, interrupting communication. Cartina previously telegraphed here for reintorcements of two thousand men, his command being only 500 It is supposed Quererada will advance on Matamoras, leaving a sufficient force at Durango to prevent Cartina from moving. The severest of the season prevails and obstructs military operations.

Eastern States.

NEW YORK, Jan 31—Samuel G. Courtney to-day secured a stay of proceedings from Judge Barnard in the case against Connolly until March 15th, by which time the Court of Appeal is required to decide the case of the People vs ex-Comptroller.

LOUISVILLE, Jan 31—The Ducal party leaves at 9 o'clock to-morrow morning for Mammoth Cave, accompanied by ladies and gentlemen After a brief exploration of the cave, they will return to the railroad and thence to Memphis.

ALBANY, Jan 31—The trial of Tweed will not take place till March. This is actually postponing it till the close of the Legislature. It is probable that Tweed will now take his seat.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb 1.—The morning Picayune contains a valedictory of A M Holbrook who for 30 years was one of its editors and proprietors.

NEW YORK, Jan 31.—The will of James Fisk was admitted to probate today, and is sworn to be a million dollars. His widow is sole executor.

At a meeting of Oyer and Terminer Court this morning, Judge Graham announced that he had denied the motion of the counsel of Stokes to quash the indictment against him. His trial will accordingly take place under the present indictment. Ex-comptroller Connelly's bondsman, qualified with sums which they offered themselves and were fully accepted.

MOUNACHAK, Feb 1.—An accident occurred to a Leghigh Valley train this morning resulting in throwing three cars from the track at Rocky Point, above the town; five persons were killed and seven wounded.

Utah.

SALT LAKE, Jan 31—In the House this evening the committee on the veto message and admission act reported a resolution that the statements in the message were injurious, false and a direct insult to the people of the territory, which was unanimously adopted.

In the U S Court this morning the District Attorney, pursuant to instructions from Attorney General Williams, moved that all prisoners in the custody of the U S in Utah be admitted to bail.

Europe.

MADRID, Jan 31—A dispatch from Barcalona says stringent measures are being adopted for the prevention of further riotous disturbance. It appears that the crowds who burned the houses were the parties who had fired on the troops. The fire was returned with such effect that two of the rioters were killed and another was seriously wounded The place is now quiet and owing to the precautions of the authorities no further disturbance is anticipated.

PARIS, Jan 31—In the National Assembly to day the deoate began upon the recent reports from the committee on the withdrawal of France from the Treaty of Commerce with England. The Syndicates of the towns of Aix, Very, Plombieres and Tharges have petitioned for repeal of the law against public gambling and offer three million francs per annum for the privilege of licensing gambling houses at these watering places.

BRUSSELS, Jan 31—The journeyman carpenters of this city are on strike and the masters have closed their shops. The men are now parading the streets and a number of disturbances have occurred.

LONDON, Jan 31—Thanksgiving ceremonies in St Paul's Cathedral for the recovery of the Prince of Wales are announced to take place on 17th February.

PARIS, Jan 31—The directors of the Official Journal published under the control of the Commune have been sentenced to transportation.

MADRID, Feb 1.—No immediate change will be made in the Ministry.

LONDON, Feb 1.—Catacazy arrived at Liverpool yesterday.

A dispatch from Constantinople reports the arrival of a squadron sent out with General Sherman. Preparations are being made for his reception.

PARIS, Feb 1.—The German authorities prohibit the sale of French journals in Strasbourg.

California.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb 1.—Wheat—choice, $2 15.

Barley—$1 40 @ $1 60.

Oats—choice, $1 80 @ $1 85.

Hay—good wheat and wild oats $21 50 per ton.

DELAYED DIPATCHES.

Utah.

SALT LAKE, Jan 27—Gov Woods to day returned to the Legislature the act for holding a Convention to prepare a Constitution for the admission of Utah, without his approval. The message created much excitement and the members expressed themselves with bitterness. Taylor, of the Apostles, exclaimed, "Are we nonentities? Are we serfs? Have we rendered ourselves criminal by putting power into the hands of the people to ask for admission into the Union? The polygamy clause of this message he said he considered an open insult to us. It is worn threadbare and has become a stink in the nostrils of all respectable people. What laws have we violated, and if we have violated any why are we not punished for them? Even murderers have been brought out to testify against us. If polygamy is contrary to the laws of the United States why don't the Federal Judge prosecute us under the laws of the United States? Is this House to be insulted by such charges as are contained in this document from the Governor? I say no! I throw it back into his face. Tell him it is a falsehood." [Voices—hear, hear.]

Jos W Young did not care a snap for the Governor or his veto.

Mexico.

The State of Sonora is free from revolutionists.

Pesquira is sending forward troops with with all possible dispatch, to re-capture Mazatlan.

Gen Bulna, of Sinaloa, is at Culiear raising troops to co-operate with those from Sonora, who will be commanded by General Garcia.

The revolutionists of Mazatlan have decreed that silver bullion should pay 6 per cent export duty, silver coin 4 per cent, and gold coin nothing.

Practical Darwinism.

Monkeys are scarce in Michigan. A saddler in Detroit kept one for a pet, who naturally sat on the counter.

A countryman came in one day, the proprietor being in a back room. The customer seeing a saddle that suited him, he asked the price.

Monkey said nothing.

Customer said;

"I'll give you twenty dollars for it," laying down the money, which monkey shoved into drawer.

The man then took the saddle, but monkey mounted him, tore his hair, scratched his face, and the frightened customer screamed for his life.

Proprietor rushed in and wished to know what's the fuss.

"Fuss!" says the customer, "fuss! I bought a saddle from your son sitting there and when I went to take it, he wouldn't let me have it."

The saddler apologized for the monkey, but assured him he was no relation.

A correspondent, speaking of the Tichborne case, says:—As I was going into the court yesterday I saw a man offering one at £48, but the party to whom he offered declined to purchase. In the course of the day came the strange evidence of a rough-looking square-headed man, who gave his name as William Davis, collier of Hanly, and who roused the court to laughter, by describing himself as working five hundred feet in the bowels of the earth—a phrase which he repeated often. This witness detailed, amidst much hilarity amongst the audience how, when in the Carbineers, he was a sentry on a certain occasion, when a donkey, with its forefeet tied, and a nightcap on its head, was placed in the bed of Sir Roger Tichborne, then an officer in the same regiment. Davis was ordered to take the donkey out of the bed, but demurred to doing so believing it to be 'Auld Clootie,' The manner in which this rough collier gave his evidence was very circumstantial, and his assertions that the claimant is the same person on whom the donkey trick was played, were very positive and unfaltering. The man who wished to sell the bond for £48, and the party who declined to buy were both in court during the examination of Davis. I met them again at the door as the court adjourned. 'I'll buy a £48, said the man who had previously declined to purchase. 'Not for Joseph,' replied the holder of the bond. 'After that donkey I want just £5 more.' And so strongly had the evidence of the collier worked upon the buyer, that he gave £53, for what he could have had a few hours before for five pounds less. The seller proposed an adjournment to an adjacent tavern to drink the donkey in champagne.

LIE NOT EVEN FOR A GOOD MOTIVE.—In Detroit a man named Dubois, who had been a steady-going mechanic, suddenly took to drinking, and was speedily transformed from a hard working man to a drunken sot. His good wife scolded, entreated, but could make no change. One night, Dubois arrived home and found that his wife and his coat had changed places—the latter lay on the floor and the former suspended from the hook. Up rushes Dubois to the rescue, took his wife down and after much labor brought her to her senses. The attempt at suicide completely sobered him and he turned over a new leaf. He promised never to drink again, and probably would not if his wife had been able to keep her own counsel. But she was just smart enough to inform several of her neighbours that the apparent hanging was a put-up job, the rope being tied under her arms. The knowledge of this little practical joke coming to the husband's ears he first thrashed—the whole family, then preformed some extraordinary feats of furniture smashing, and left the premises, and has not been seen since.

A CHICAGO fellow says:—'The statement that tight lacing saves the country 200,000,000 dollars adnually in board alone, is a villinous and habitual lie I know a girl who laces so tight that my arm will go around her twice and lap over clear to the elbow, and one would not think, to look at her, that she could eat anything except soup, but she has got an appetite like a cross-cut saw, and she mows a swathe at a table like a self-raking reaper.

MR Seward is preparing a sketch of his recent tripround the world for publication, and contemplates also writing an account of the public men he has been associated with and known.

Warning Words.

The strength and nervous energy of the human body ought to be increased during the winter for two reasons: In the first place, diseases of the most deadly character may be generated at this season; and secondly, it is of the utmost importance that during the cold weather months the system should be put in a condition to withstand the effects of the Spring miasma and the subsequent depressing heat of Summer. It is therefore advisable, in fact essential, to tone, regulate and invigorate the digestive and secretive organs at this period of the year, and of all the stomackichs and alteratives at present known. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters is the most powerful, the most harmless, and the most agreeable. The temperature of winter would be in itself a glorious tonic, if it did not, unfortunately, bring with it a volume of chilling moisture and unwholesome winds, which have a bad effect on the skin and lungs These must be guarded against, or there is no security for health. The effect of a course of the Bitters is to give tone and vigor to the entire organization—the superficial muscles and nerves, as well as the internal viscera. A regular habit of body, a healthy and natural flow of bile, an active digestion, a good appetite, pure blood, and a vigorous circulation of that fluid, are among the blessings derivable from a presistant use of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which are not only cathartics and antiseptics prescribed in their separate forms by physicians, but perform the threefold work of invigoration, regulation and purification, at one and the same time.

A. GILMORE, MERCHANT TAILOR, and General Outfitter, has removed his place of business to the store adjoining the Colonist Hote and opposite the Colonist Office, on Government street, fourth door from Yates, where he proposes to give his old friends and new customers a chance on the principle of quick sales and small profits. *

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Colony.

VALENTINE'S DAY!—This anniversary is approaching again, when we welcome these tinselled missiles, which provoke the three passions of Mirth, Anger and Love; and when we are licensed with impunity to send them with a rollicking and indiscriminate recklessness of social tastes or position. Upon this occasion we recommend mercy and prudence, having just received a new lot. Its variety and novelty is refreshing to look at, to the eyes of those who follow up that ancient custom.—T. N. HIBBEN & Co. *

GOING TO THE MAINLAND.—G. A. Noltemier has started business at Barkerville and is positively closing out his well selected stock of Boots and Shoes, Government street, Victoria. The goods are sell very low, at San Francisco prices. Also for sale, a Tilton & McFarland's safe, store fixtures green shoeboxes, &c. *

AUSPICIOUS 1872. — Its present outline shrouded in mystery like an impenetrable Victoria fog, settled upon sea and land, with a sky above so clear and beautiful. Each consecutive year since 1858 has appeared in various forms, with the same pertinacity, the announcement that Pocket and Office Diaries, and Almanacs are ready for the Season.—T. N HIBBEN & Co 3m*

MRS. LANGE'S DANCING ACADEMY in the Royal Exchange Hall continues to attract large and select assemblies of ladies and gentlemen. The regular class evenings are Tuesdays and Fridays, from 8 to 10. The class is and will be always kept in a most respectable style, *

Rich and rare are the suits they wear,
Who buy of David Green;
Within his store a splendid stock
Is always to be seen.

By every mail, the latest styles
Arrive from Eastern marts—
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And from other foreign parts *

REMEMBER THE FATE OF ABSALOM.—Fred Payne, Tonsorial Artist. Shaving 12½ cents Hair Cutting 25 cents, Shampooing 25 cents That Original Cheap Shaving Shop stands on the sunny side of Johnson treet. *

HOUSEFURNISHING GOODS. — Mansell & Holroyd, the well known cabinetmakers and housefurnishers, have twenty-four packages of goods in their line on board the ship Gungner. *

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He is Closing Out Fast. See Reduction from former Prices.

	Present Price.	Former do
Ladies' Fine Button Boots	$4 50	$5 50
do Opera Gaiters	3 50	4 50
do Lasting do	2 75	3 75
do Lasting kid foxed gaiters	2 62½	3 75
do Glove kid gaiters	2 87½	3 75
do Kid Oxford ties	3 50	4 50
do do foxed balmorals	2 00	2 75
do Lasting gaiters	1 62½	2 55
do Fancy Kid gaiters	2 25	3 25
do Fine kid slippers	1 25	2 25
do Congress Roskins	1 62½	2 50
do Slippers	75	1 25
Misses gaiters	2 25	3 25
do Balmorals	1 50	2 75
do Slippers	75	1 25
Children's Button Shoes	1 25	1 75
do Balmoral	1 25	1 75
do do	1 00	1 25
Infant's Shoes	50	75
Men's calf boots	7 50	9 50
do do	4 00	5 00
do Gaiters	6 50	8 50
do Buckskin Gaiters	4 75	6 00
do Calf gaiters	2 50	3 50
Boy's Calf boots	2 50	3 50
do do shoes	1 75	2 00

Numerous additional styles, too numerous to mention will be sold at equally reduced rates. de23

Spring Ridge Water Works Company

NOTICE OF MEETING.

THE ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL Meeting of the Company will be held at the office, Government street, on February 6th, at 2 p m.

By order of the Directors,

W. C. SHEEN, Secretary.

Victoria, V. I., Jan. 30, 1872. ja31td

Notice to Contractors & Builders.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT my office on Kane street, till Monday, 5th, for grading and till Monday, the 12th February next, for the mason, carpenter and joiner, plasterer and other works required to be done in the enlargement of the Wesleyan Methodist Church, corner of Pandora and Broad streets.

The lowest tender not necessarily accepted.

THOS. TROUNCE, Architect.

Kane street, Jan 29th, 1871. ja30

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MIDDLINGS

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On each mark is stamped the owner's name and the number of the sheep. They will be sent free by mail for only Four Cents each, and will last Twenty Years.

Cash must accompany all orders.

ARCHIBALD YOUNG, JR,

Sarnia, Ontario.

Orders addressed to This Office for any quantity will be filled at the abovementioned price as quickly as they can be received from the manufacturer. no12d&w

John Montgomery.

A NATIVE OF AUGHAVILLA, COUNTY Down, Ireland, when last heard from was at Sweet land, Nevada Co, California: supposed to be at work near Wild Horse Creek, British Columbia. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received by his brother, Alexander Montgomery, Santa Clara, California. no11d&w

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100 kegs Pioneer Mills No 1 Sugar,
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22 bags No 1 Rice.

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WHARF ST, VICTORIA.

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Esquimalt District—Sections XXXVIII, LV, containing 130.47 acres, under certificate of title No 71.

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Lake District—Section LVIII, containing 94 acres, under certificate of title No 162.

All particulars can be obtained on application to

ja18 PLUMMER & PAGDEN.

Fort Street Gallery.

THE ABOVE HAVING BEEN ENTIRELY refitted, is now conducted by

MR. ROWLAND E. GREEN,

Who solicits of the public of Victoria a continuance of past favors.

N. B.—The gallery will be ready about Thursday, January 25th. ja21

For Sale—To Let—To Lease

HAY FOR SALE!

ABOUT 3 1-2 TONS OF FIRST RATE Timothy Hay. It can be delivered on the wharf at New Westminster. Terms $40 per ton, payable on delivery. Apply to

ja27 1w&w JAMES THORNE, New Westm'r

To Let.

A LARGE ROOM ON THE SECOND Floor of the BRITISH COLONIST BUILDING, Fireproof, will be let low to a good tenant. Apply at This Office.

TO BE LET.

The International Boarding House,

YATES STREET.

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BRICK STORE TO LET

THE COMMODIOUS STORE ADJOINING Stafford & Hicken's, just vacated by Mr C Bossi. Possession can be given immediately. Apply to

ja5 1m JANION, RHODES & CO.

PIANO FOR SALE OR HIRE

A SUPERIOR COTTAGE PIANO, BY Alexander Allen of London, for sale or hire by

ja4 1m ANDERSON & CO, Johnson street

NEW GOODS

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ENAMELLED SAUCEPANS
do STEWPANS
MASLIN KETTLES
GALVANIZED BUCKETS
NURSERY LAMPS
TEA & COFFEE POTS
BUTTER MOULDS & PRINTS
QUOITS
SKITTLES
LADIES' GARDEN TOOLS
CORN MILLS
TABLE MATS
SCONCES
CORKS
WILSON'S BUTCHER KNIVES
do do STEELS
WILLIAMS' do do
CASH BOXES
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do	1	do
do	1⅛	do
do	1¼	do
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By command,
A. R. ROBERTSON.

In the Executive Council, the 30th day of December A,D. 1871

PRESENT:
HIS EXCELLENCY THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR
THE HONORABLE THE COLONIAL SECRETARY,
THE HONORABLE THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.
THE HONORABLE THE CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS & WORKS

Whereas by an Act of the Legislative Council of British Columbia, entitled 'The Constitution Act, 1871,' it is among other things provided as follows:—
"3, The Executive Council of British Columbia shall be composed of such persons as the Governor from time to time thinks fit, not exceeding five and in the first instance shall include the following Officers namely: the Colonial Secretary, the Attorney-General and the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
"4. When either of the offices held by the last mentioned officers becomes vacant, that is to say the office of Colonial Secretary, of Attorney-General or of Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, by the death, removal or resignation of the present occupants the Governor may appoint officers to hold such offices respectivly during pleasure and may from time to time appoint other or additional officers to be members of the Executive Council and to hold office during pleasure, and the Governor in Council may from time to time prescribe the duties of those officers and of the several Departments over which they shall preside or to which they shall belong and of the officers and clerks thereof."
And whereas it is expedient to prescribe the duties of the Colonial Secretary, the Attorney-General and the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works and of the several Departments over which they shall respectively preside and of the officers and clerks of the said Departments respectively;
His Excellency the Lieutenant-Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Executive Council, doth hereby order, direct and declare:—

COLONIAL SECRETARY.
That the duties of the Colonial Secretary shall be as follows—
1. The said Colonial Secretary shall have the management and direction of the Department of Colonial Secretary
2. He shall have the custody of the Public Seal of the Province and shall affix the same to such documents and no other as by law he may be authorized to do.
3. He shall have charge of the Provincial correspondence, keep all State records and papers not specially transferred to other Departments and shall perform such other duties as shall from time to time be assigned to him by the Lieutenant-Governor in Cuncil.
4. He shall register all Instruments of Summons, Commissions, Letters Patent, Writs and other instruments and documents issued under the Public Seal of the Province.
5. He shall countersign all cheques issued by the Treasury on behalf of the Province, for payments duly authorized by the Lieutenant Governor, except when absent from the City of Victoria or prevented from attending his office by illness when such countersignature shall be made by the Assistant Colonial Secretary, as hereinafter provided,
6. He shall prepare in each year the Estimates of Revenue and Expenditure for the following year.
7. He shall cause a proper record to be kept of all correspondence received by him on Provincial service and shall attach his signature to all letters, papers, memoranda or documents leaving the Colonial Secretary's Office except in his absence or illness as aforesaid when the signature of the Assistant Colonial Secretary shall be attached to such documents.
8. He shall have the supervision and control of the Printing Branch of the Colonial Secretary's Department and of the printing of all public documents, proclamations, notices and other matters.
9. It shall be the duty of the Colonial Secretary to oversee and direct the Officers and servants of the Treasury and Audit Departments respectively and to see that they do respectively perform their duties faithfully and honestly. The Colonial Secretary shall see—
1. That all Revenue belonging to the Province by whomsoever collected be paid as soon possible and received into the Treasury and accounted for:
2. That all payments made on behalf of the Government are duly examined and checked by the Officers of the Treasury.
3. That accurate and proper accounts of all moneys received, and all expenditures made on behalf of the Government, are kept by the Officers of the Treasury, and duly audited by the Audit branch of his department:
4. That financial statements or returns be made, whenever required by the Lieutenant-Governor or any head of a Department:
5. That a weekly statement of the balance in hand be made out and laid before the Lieutenant-Governor:
6. That all moneys received at the Treasury be paid, as soon as possible after the receipt thereof, into the Bank of British Columbia, or such other Bank as the Lieutenant-Governor may direct:
7. That no cheques be issued out of the Treasury except in pursuance of warrants under the hand the Lieutenant-Governor.

ASSISTANT COLONIAL SECRETARY.
It shall be the duty of the Assistant Colonial Secretary, and he shall have authority (subject always to the head of the Department) to oversee and direct the other Officers and servants of the Department; he shall have the general control of the business of the Department, in and the absence of the Colonial Secretary, and during such absence may suspend from his duties any Officer, Clerk, or Servant of the Department who refuses or neglects to obey his directions as such Assistant Colonial Secretary
2. Whenever the Colonial Secretary shall be absent from the City of Victoria or shall be prevented from attending his office by reason of illness, the Assistant Colonial Secretary shall be empowered to sign all correspondence, documents, cheques, and vouchers which in the ordinary course of business and in accordance with the foregoing order should be signed by the Colonial Secretary.

CLERKS.
It shall be the duty of the Clerks in the Department to obey and carry out the instructions of the Colonial Secretary and of the Assistant Colonial Secretary, in relation to any matter or business belonging to the Department of the Assistant Colonial Secretary; and, also, to perform such duties as may be required of them from time to time, or at any time, by the head of any other Department, to whom their services may have been assigned temporarily by the Colonial Secretary, or the Assistant Colonial Secretary.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL.
The duties of the Attorney-General shall be as follows:—
He shall be the official legal adviser of the Lieutenant Governor, and the legal member of the Executive Council of British Columbia. It shall be his duty to see that the administration of public affairs is in accordance with law. He shall advise the Lieutenant Governor upon the Legislative Acts and proceedings of the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia; and generally, advise the Lieutenant-Governor upon all matters of law referred to him by the Lieutenant Governor. He shall advise the heads of the several Departments of the Government upon all matters of law connected with such Departments on being requested by them respectively so to do. He shall be charged with the settlement and approval of all instruments issued under the Public Seal of the Province; and of all leases of whatever description that may be granted by or on behalf of the Crown. He shall have the regulation and conduct of all litigation for or against the Crown or any Public Department, in respect of any subjects within the authority or jurisdiction of the Province; and also prepare and settle the drafts of all bills to be introduced as Government measures into the Legislative Assembly. He shall also have the charge and supervision of the Magistracy, Police, and Constabulary throughout the Province.

CLERK.
It shall be the duty of the Clerk of the Attorney-General, to obey and carry out the instructions of the Attorney General in relation to any matter or business belonging to the Department of the Attorney-General; and, also, to perform such duties as may be required of him by the head of any other Department to whom his services may have been assigned temporarily by the Attorney General

CHIEF COMMISSIONER OF LANDS AND WORKS.
The Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works shall have charge of all official maps now in his Department, or that may hereafter be prepared in his Department, and of the correspondence between his Department and the various Assistant Commissioners of Lands and Works throughout the Province, and between his Department and the public generally, on subjects connected with his Department, and shall keep proper records thereof.
He shall keep records of all leases and pre-emptions, and all papers not specially transferred to other departments, and shall prepare and issue all Crown Grants of lands in the Province, duly recording all documents connected with such issue; and shall perform such other duties as shall from time to time be assigned to him by the Lieutenant-Governor in Council.
It shall be his duty to superintend the carrying out, in all its details, of any plan or scheme for promoting Immigration, which the Government may set on foot, or in which the Government may decide to co-operate with the Dominion Government.
He shall superintend the construction and repair of roads, bridges and buildings for the public service, and for that purpose shall cause plans and specifications of such works to be prepared, and shall, when the Lieutenant-Governor in Council shall so determine, invite tenders, and award contracts, and make and enter into agreements with contractors, and shall examine and receive or reject any work done under such contracts, and make payments therefor.
He shall in all proper cases grant permission to applicants to pre-empt any unoccupied, unsurveyed or unreserved Crown Lands, issue Crown Grants and grant leases of Crown Grants.
He is all under instructions from the Lieutenant Governor in Council, receive, deal with and dispose of all applications for rights of ferry and bridge rights, privileges and concessions.
He shall have the charge of all surveys made throughout the Province by or on behalf of the Government and of the preparation of all maps that it may be intended to issue as official maps.
It shall be his duty to oversee and direct the Assistant Commissioners of Lands and Works throughout the Province and to issue instructions to them and to receive reports and returns from them.

Notices

It shall be his duty to dispose of all useless or worn out material by Auction, unless a sale thereof by private contract shall be specially authorized by the Lieutenant Governor in Council.
It shall be his duty to account for and pay into the Treasury all moneys received by him or any person persons on his behalf, as soon as possible.

SURVEYOR GENERAL.
It shall be the duty of the Surveyor General, generally to carry out the instructions from time to time given to time by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works; and particularly to superintend the execution of, all professional work required to be done in or by the Department. And he shall have authority (subject always to the head of the Department) to oversee and direct the other Officers and servants of the Department; he shall have the general control of the business of the Department and in the absence of the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, and during such absence may suspend from his duties any Officer, Clerk or Servant of the Department who refuses or neglects to obey his directions as such Surveyor General.
Whenever the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works shall be absent from the City of Victoria, or shall be prevented from attending his office by reason of illness the Surveyor General shall be empowered to sign all correspondence, documents, cheques and vouchers which in the ordinary course of business and in accordance with the foregoing order, should be signed by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

ACCOUNTANT.
It shall be the special duty of the Accountant to keep the Accounts of the Department in such manner as may be prescribed by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works; to examine vouchers and financial returns from the Assistant Commissioners throughout the Province, and prepare and furnish weekly collectorate returns to the Colonial Secretary, and whenever required. He shall also assist in the general work of the Department when so required by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.

OTHER ASSISTANTS.
It shall be the duty of the Clerks and other Servants belonging to the Department of Lands and Works to obey and carry out the instructions of the head of the Department of Lands and Works; and, also, to perform such other duties as may, from time to time, or at any time, be required of them by the head of any other Department to whom their services may have been assigned temporarily by the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
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PUBLIC NOTICE.

ESQUIMALT GRAVING DOCK.

THE GOVERNMENT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA invite tenders to be sent in to the Lands and Works Office, Victoria, up to noon of the 20th March, 1872, for the construction of a Graving Dock at Esquimalt, British Columbia, under the guarantee provided in welfth section of the Terms of Union of this Province with the Dominion of Canada, which section is in the following words:
"The Dominion Government shall guarantee the interest for ten years from the date of the completion of the work at the rate of five per cent per annum on such sum not exceeding £100 000 sterling, as may be required for the construction of a first class Graving Dock at Esquimalt.
The dock is to be of a clear length of not less than 450 feet, a clear breadth of 90 feet at top and 50 feet at bottom, and affording a depth of water at ordinary high tide of not less than 24 feet on the sill, and to be substantially built upon a site to be selected and provided by the party or parties tendering, subject to the approval of the Government. Parties tendering are required to specify the time within which they propose to complete the Dock
Tenders are to be sealed, superscribed "Tenders for Esquimalt Graving Dock," and addressed to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, Victoria, British Columbia, and accompanied by plans and drawings showing the exact dimensions of the Dock proposed to be built, the mode of construction and materials to be used therein.
Parties desirous of tendering, but who may decline to do so under the guarantee above named as insufficient, are invited to tender on the basis of such supplemental guarantee by the Provincial Government, or other financial inducement as they may suggest
HENRY HOLBROOK,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Office, Nov 20th, 1871. no21d&w

OMINECA MINING COURT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT on and after the 15th October, all mining claims legally held in the Omineca District, will be laid over until the 1st day of June, 1872.
P. O'REILLY,
Gold Commissioner.
Omineca, Oct 13th, 1871. de15

NOTICE.

LAYING OVER CLAIMS.
ON AND AFTER 1st NOVEMBER, 1871 all Mining Claims in Cariboo District are hereby Laid Over" until 20th May, 1872
H M BALL,
de17 A.G.

APPOINTMENT.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Jan 24th, 1872.
THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR HAS been pleased to appoint W C SIFFKEN, ESQ, to be Collector of Road Tax for the Road Districts of Esquimalt Town, Metchosin and Esquimalt, Victoria, Lake and Saanich. ja28

APPOINTMENT.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Jan 26, 1872.
THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR HAS been pleased to appoint W C SIFFKEN, ESQ, to be a Trustee of the Victoria Cemetery, under the "Cemetery Ordinance, 1870," vice the Hon W J Macdonald, resigned
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APPOINTMENT.

COLONIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Jan 26th, 1872.
THE LIEUTENANT GOVERNOR HAS been pleased to appoint ROBERT WILLIAMS, ESQ, a Member of the Court of Appeal under the "Road Amendment Ordinance, 1870, vice the Hon W J Macdonald, resigned. ja28

In Liquidation.

AT A MEETING OF THE BRITISH Columbia Whaling Company, Limited, held on the 26th Dec, 1871, it was resolved to wind up the Company by voluntary liquidation, and Robert Wallace and James Hutcheson were appointed liquidators.
In accordance with the above resolution, the undersigned request all parties having claims against the said Company to hand in the same to their office on or before the 10th day of February next
They also offer for sale by private contract the entire plant and stock of the Company, including the schooner Kate, as she now lies at Dickson, Campbell & Co's wharf, well found in sails, anchors, &c. &c.
A schedule of the plant can be seen at the office of the liquidators.
Should the property not be disposed of by private sale before the 20th day of February, the whole will be sold by public auction on Thursday the 29th day of February
WALLACE & HUTCHESON,
Liquidators.
Victoria, B C, Jan 25th, 1872 ja26

[L.S.] JOSEPH W TRUTCH.

CANADA
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c.
To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

J F MCCREIGHT, Attorney General } WHEREAS by a Proclamation of 20th November; A D. 1871, the time for the return of the Writ for the Election of Members to serve in the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia for the Electoral District of Kootenay was extended, and it was directed to be returned on or before the 26th day of January instant.
And whereas it is doubtful, owing to the difficulty of communication at this season of the year, and other causes, whether the Writ can be so returned by the said 26th instant.
And whereas it is expedient to further extend the time for the return of the said Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay.
And whereas by section 89 of the "Election Regulation Act, 1872," the Governor in Council is empowered to cause to be adopted such measures as may be necessary for removing any obstacle, or the doing of, or omission to do, any act of a technical or formal nature, by which or by want of which, the due course of any election may be impeded.
NOW, KNOW YE, that for the purpose of giving the Returning Officers of the Electoral Districts of Kootenay further time to return the said Writs, the Governor in Council has extended the time for the return of the said Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay; and that the Writ for the said Electoral District of Kootenay shall be returned on or before the Fifteenth day of February next ensuing.
And the Returning Officers are to govern themselves accordingly
IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, we have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of Our said Province of British Columbia to be hereunto attached; Witness, the Honorable JOSEPH WILLIAM TRUTCH, Lieutenant Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this Twenty-fifth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy two, and in the thirty-fifth year of Our Reign.
By Command.
RICHARD WOODS,
Registrar, S. C. ja26

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